

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

December 9, 2010

Brian Mount, Treasurer Capuano for Congress Committee P.O. Box 440305 Somerville, MA 02144

Response Due Date: January 13, 2011

Identification Number: C00336388

Reference: Amended July Quarterly Report (4/1/10 - 6/30/10), received 10/15/10,

Amended 12 Day Pre-Primary Report (7/1/10 - 8/25/10), received

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Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 4 items:

- 1. Your Amended July Quarterly Report, received 10/15/10, and your Amended 12 Day Pre-Primary Report, received 10/15/10, disclose a substantial increase in the amount of debts from those disclosed on your original reports. Please amend your report to clarify why this additional activity was not provided with your original reports. (11 CFR § 104.3)
- 2. Your Amended July Quarterly Report, received 10/15/10, discloses a new debt on Schedule D with the purpose of "loan assigned from C00467621 Capuano for Senate Committee." If this was a personal funds loan transferred from a candidate's authorized committee in accordance with 11 CFR §116.2(c)(3), then it should be disclosed as a loan on Schedule C.
- 3. Commission Regulations require the continuous reporting of all outstanding loans. This report discloses a discrepancy in the outstanding balance itemized on the loan from the candidate. The letter filed with Amended Termination Report for Capuano for Senate Committee (C00467621) states that loan balances totaling \$113,250.00 will be assigned to C00336388 as a Schedule C transaction. However, the balance